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Polyester Resin Composition for Engine

Peripheral Parts

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SUPPLEMENTARY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

SIR:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the following claim:

Claim 3, line 4, cancel "form" and insert --from--.

Please add the following claim:

Claim 4. The polyester resin composition for engine peripheral parts according to claim 2, wherein at least one polymer selected from the group consisting of polyethylene terephthalate and an ethylene terephthalate copolymer contains germanium.